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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 371

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U.S. APPLICATION NO.

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.

INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE

PCT/EP03/12032

29 OCTOBER 2003

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TITLE OF INVENTION

FOOD PRODUCTS COMPRISING FAT AND A STARCH-CONTAINING MATTER AND PROCESS FOR THEIR MANUFACTURE

APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US

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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

- This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. 1.
- This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. 2.
- This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
- The US has been elected (Article 31). 4. 図
- A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. §371(c)(2)) Ø
 - is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - has been communicated by the International Bureau. b. Ø
 - is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). C.
- An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
 - is attached hereto. a.
 - has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. §371(c)(3))
 - are transmitted herewith (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). a.
 - have been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - have not been made, however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - have not been made and will not be made.
- 8 1 An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. §371(c)(3)).
- 9 An oath or unexecuted declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. §371(c)(4)).
- An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 10. (35·U.S.C. §371(c)(5)).

Items 11. To 16. Below concern document(s) or information included:

- An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98.
- 12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §§3.28 and 3.31 is included.
- 13. ⊠ A preliminary amendment.
- An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR § 1.76.
- 15. □ A substitute specification.
- 16. □ A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.
- 17. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821- 1.825.
- 18. 🗆 A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- 19. 🗆 A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- 20. 🗆 Other items or information:

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